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## STAFF REPORT

BOARD MEETING DATE: September 13, 2016

**DATE:** Tuesday, August 30, 2016

**TO:** Board of County Commissioners

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**SUBJECT:** Approve the settlement of the claim Jeff Pierce against Washoe County et al, for a total sum of \$53,062.79 for all claims against all defendants (All Commission District)

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### SUMMARY

We are seeking the approval of the Board to accept the terms in the stipulated agreement resolving appeal and order of dismissal claim against Washoe County et al, for a total of \$53,062.79 for all claims against all defendants. Pursuant to WCC 65.240(5), the Board has sole authority to settle any claim or suit for damages in this amount.

**Washoe County Strategic Objective supported by this item:** Stewardship of our Community.

### PREVIOUS ACTION

There has been no previous action by the Board on this matter.

### BACKGROUND

This matter arose from an employment issue.

### FISCAL IMPACT

Sufficient budget authority for the settlement of \$53,062.79 exists in FY2016-17 in cost center 195054, account 710516.

AGENDA ITEM # 6.B.

**RECOMMENDATION**

It is recommended that the Board approve the settlement of the claim Jeff Pierce against Washoe County et al, for a total sum of \$53,062.79 for all claims against all defendants.

**POSSIBLE MOTION**

Should the Board agree with staff's recommendation, a possible motion would be "move to approve the settlement of the claim Jeff Pierce against Washoe county et al, for a total sum of \$53,062.79 for all claims against all defendants.